SPECIAL AUGUST SALES: TRIMMED HATS. WHITE SHIRT-WAISTS, MONDAY.

LOOK! Monday you

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THE NEW FELT HATS.

A showing as good as the best, with styles, perhaps, a little more becoming and quality a trifle more becoming and quality a trifle more satisfactory than elsewhere. The jaunty Felt Cowboy and Golf Hats have certainly made a "hit," and are seen everywhere where a tailor are seen everywhere where a tailor suit is worn. The shapes are many and varied, with trimmings of soft silk bands and long natural quills. Our prices are

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A little cash expended in our Waist Department reaps a rich reward at this season of the year. 750. White 48c Waists.... 98c Waists.... 91.50 White Waists

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value Black Serge Skirts, well made, nicely lined, beautifully bound, \$1.50 worth \$2.25, Monday Black Crepon effects, in \$2.98 Skirts worth \$4.50, Monday

ODDS AND ENDS FINE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, Radical price changes.

Gowns of Muslin, lace trim- 48c.

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cowns made of Muslin and trimmed
with fine laces, tucks, embroideries,
and ribbons, 9sc. and \$1.25 62c.
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Gowns of long Cloth and Cambric,
towns with lace, embroideries, trimmed with lace, embroideries, tucks, and ribbons, gowns that sold for \$1.25, \$1.28, \$1.75, and up to \$2.75, all in one lot Monday at, 98c.

KAUFMANN & CO., FOURTH AND BROAD.

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Congressman Willett Says They Are Backing the Van Wyck Boom, (New York World.)

Augustus Van Wyck presidential boom of couthern origin, fostered in Sara toga, and then brought to New York, was let loose in a room in the Hoffman House last night, in the presence of a southern delegation, by J. J. Willett, conressman from Alabama. Who com-He said: "This boom for Van Wyck

he said: This boom for van wyck is given permanence by the assurance given to me by the leaders of the Brocklyn Democrats. I had a talk with them in Brocklyn last night, and they said to me: 'We are with you. We are for Augustus Van Wyck first, last, and all th to the next national convention for Van Wyck. We will cut loose from Tan-many Hall if it opposes us and form a combination with the up-State Democ-racy, and we cannot be besten. "Now, I do not believe these Kings

county Democrats are deceiving me, so I am going to stay here and confer with Democrats, and on Monday I will issue statement showing just what has been

ONE FOR CROKER.

"Now, I know Tammany and Croker do not amount to anything outside of this other than out to anything outdoo of this city. They have never accomplished anything in national politics. This movement springs from men in various portions of the country who believe that ex-Judge the country who believe that ex-judge Van Wyck is the man to save the Demo-eratic party. The Democratic leaders in Brooklyn concur in this view, and they are the mainstay of the movement in this

When asked if the suggestion that Mr. Bryan and Mr. Croker had agreed to give Mr. Van Wyck second place on the ticket would be agreeable to him, he repiled: "I would never think of offering him that, and I don't believe he would be ratisfied with that. No, he is the man for President, and I found that to be the sentiment at the Arkwright Club to-day, where I met a lot of commercial travellers."

FRANK CAMPBELL'S VIEW. State-Committeeman Frank Campbell was at the Hoffman House, but not at the conference. He has not consulted with Congressman Willett. He said it

with Congressman Willett. He said it was yet too early to talk about candidates. He liked both Bryan and Van Wyck, he said, and added:

"Whoever is the Democratic nominee, there is no question but the organization in New York will do all it can to give him the electoral votes of this State.

"I find a disposition among the people of the State to elect a Democratic Assembly this fall to stop partisan legislation and to stop the centralization or power."

power."
Henderson M. Summerville, ex-Chief Justice of Alabama; Captain T. G. Bush, and M. B. Weiburn, of Alabama, were among the callers on congressman Willett, and they were all for Van Wyck.

Mechanical Kissing-Bug.

(New York Press.)

The mechanical kissing-bug is amusing the town. Take a hair-pin, spread it tw-inches, pass a rubber band over the points, and in the band insert a short ded paper and ask your friend to open The folds will hold the "bug" in place until the last one is reached, when the wood will be released sufficiently to spin round and round, rattling against the paper, and causing the investigator to jump from two to ten feet, according to

Saved by Taking a Drink. (Sydney Bulletin.)

In the Rakaia, New Zealand, railway smash drink was the direct means of saving the lives of about sixty excursion-ists, who, as the night was cold and wet and the train was waiting, left the rear carriage and trooped into the railway hotel a few yards off. When they were drinking the smash took place. The carriage which sixty of the beer-thirnty crowd had quitted was reduced to match

Hamilton Ciark, of Chauncey, Ga., says he suffered with itching piles twenty years before trying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Saive, two boxes of which completely cured him. Beware of worthless and dangerous counterfeits. Bodeker Brothers, T. A. Miller.

Orders for printing sent to the Dispatch company will be given prompt attention, and the style of ward and prices will be

IN AND OUT OF TOWN

A RECORD OF THE MOVEMENTS OF MANY RICHMOND PEOPLE.

Brief Items of General Interest-The Minor Happenings of a Day Told

Tersely-Announcements of Events

Mr. W. S. Bradley and wife are visiting elatives in Scottsville, Va. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lincoln have re-turned home from the North.

Misses Golde and Mamle Harvey are visiting friends in Amelia county. Miss Bessle Wight left yesterday for a

visit of several weeks to Culpeper. Rev. Preston Nash will preach at St. Mark's church at 11 A. M. to-day.

Miss Mary Doran, of Church Hill, is summering at Buffalo Ridge Springs.

Mr. Ken. H. Gayle, of Portsmouth, left the city for home this morning. Miss Mamie Blackburn is visiting Dr Hite's family, in Lunenburg county.

Mr. and Mrs. William Broadus Robins left Tuesday for Massanetta Springs. Mrs. Lucy Clarke and Miss Clarke are

Mrs. Patrick Grace, who has been very

Mrs. M. E. Frasier and daughter, Miss Annie, are visiting relatives in Caroline county.

Mrs. Gordon and her two charming little irls, of east Grace street, have returned Miss Molye Scott, of Mount Clair, N. J., s visiting Miss Annie C. Earp, on south

Mrs. Henry Williams has just returned

from a visit to her grandmother, in Gloucester county. Miss Alice McGary and little Miss Etta

Knightly are in Staunton, the guests of Mrs. D. Brown. Miss Emma Smith, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Mattie Pegram, of No. 1219 west Main street.

Mrs. C. L. Ford left yesterday to join her daughter, who in the mountains. who has been summering Miss Theresa Donahue, of Clay street,

is on a visit to her grandparents, in Huntington, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. Harcum and children have returned from a visit to friends in the Blue Ridge mountains.

Mrs. George Watt, Taylor and family left on Friday to visit her father, Mr. Wilson, of Amelia county.

Miss Lily Logan is now at Salem, Va. where she is engaged in painting the por-trait of a prominent citizen.

Misses Vara and Sissie Jones are visit-ing their brother, Mr. J. T. Jones, at Mineral City, Louisa county. Mr. George Klein, who has been suffer-

ng with rheumatism for some time, left or the Hot Springs yesterday. A marriage license was issued Friday

in Washington to James D. Brooks and Susie B. Jackson, of Richmond, Mrs. William Sealzer and family left vesterday to spend the rest of the sum-ner with friends in Spotsylvania.

Miss Fannie Maron and Mrs. Lydia Wormeley are among the guests at Miss Corrie Hill's, Culpeper Courthouse.

Miss Annie Lee Kenney left last Thurs- Pe lay for Louisa, where she will spend several weeks with friends and relatives. Dr. J. Travis Taylor, special quarantine officer of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, has returned to the THAT IS AN ADDRESS OF

Miss Sallie E. Wray, of \$10 west Cary street, is visiting friends in Louisa. She will be absent from the city for several

Mrs. George W. Eaves, Miss Lelia and Master Waverly Eaves, of Atlanta, Ga.,

are in the city visiting relatives and Chief-of-Police Charles G. Kizer, of Norfolk; Colonel R. C. Marshall and Mr. George Lindsay, of Norfolk county, are

Treasurer W. P. Shelton and Deputy-Treasurer William H. Chisholm, of Han-over county, were at the Auditor's office

Dr. Charles M. Edwards, who has been

stationed at Gloucester Point, Va., as special quarantine officer, has returned to the city.

Miss Pearl Wade, of No. III north Twentieth street, is expected home to-morrow, after five weeks' stay in the Rev. R. B. Collier leaves Richmond this

afternoon to aid Rev. J. H. Harrison in a series of meetings in old Powhatan county. Va. Miss Josephine Monroe left last Tues

day for Fredericksburg, where she will spend several weeks, the guest of friends Mrs. Philip Dossam and little son,

Horace Lynwood, have returned to the city, having spent a pleasant month in mountains Miss Jennie Myers, of this city, has re-

turned from an extended visit to Phila-delphia, accompanied by her friend, Miss Blanch Miller. Captain W. G. Harvey left on Thurs-day to visit his uncle, Mr. Samuel Rey-nolds, at his beautiful home, on the St.

Lawrence river.

Mr. Aubrey Chesterman, formerly of Richmond, but now of Charlotte, N. C., has returned to the latter city, after a

short visit here.

Miss Lizzle A. O'Neil is on a visit to her brother, D. F. O'Neil, a clerk of Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, at Newport News.

Mr. Alien S. Owen, of No. 418 south Laurel street, continues sick, and it is feared that it will be a long time before he is able to be out.

Misses Eva and Lottie Robertson, ac-companied by their cousin, Miss Etta Anderson, are visiting friends and relaives in Amelia county.

Misses Eugenia and Alma Samuel, of see of wood with which to wind the ap-tratus. After winding until tight wednesday to visit relatives and friends in King William county.

Mrs. Maria O'Grady, of Charlottes-ville, who has been visiting Miss Katle Byrnes, will return home Sunday, much pleased with her trip to Richmond Miss Josie Grace, accompanied by her nephew, Master John Grace, left last Monday for the Buffalo Ridge Springs to spend the remainder of the summer.

The funeral of Mrs. R. R. Childress will be preached at her husband's residence, eight miles east of Richmond, this after-noon at 1 o'clock by Rev. R. B. Collier.

Miss Allenia P. Tucker and brother Wilroy Tucker, have left the city for Hanover, near Old Church, where they will spend some time with friends and elatives. There will be a called meeting of the

Church Hill Branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals at o'clock Monday afternoon, at 2801 east Grace street.

Rev. Dr. A. B. Dunaway, pastor of the Baptist church at Port Norfolk, was in the city several hours yesterday, on his way to Louisa, where he will spend a week or two resting. Mrs. George Turner and two daughters

Dalsy and Hennie, from Sayannan, are here on a visit, stopping with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Gibbons, No. 904 north

Twenty-fourth street.

left yesterday for Philadelphia on business connected with the Philadelphia Na-

Master Ben. Fowden returned home to Philadelphia on August 6th, accompanied by his cousin, James A. Fowden, of No. 367 north Twenty-ninth street, who will remain until after the jubilee.

Mrs. M. L. Points, accompanied by her daughter, Mittle, left Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Fitz, of Lexington, Va., and before returning home will visit Clifton Forge. MANY VISITORS IN THE CITY.

Miss Etta Anderson, of 1020 Taylor street, and her two cousins, Misses Eva and Lottie Robertson, have left the city for a few weeks to visit their cousin, Mrs. W. Hammond, of Amelia county. Miss Katie Grigg left last week for Huntington, W. Va., her birthplace, ac-companied by Captain Miles and wife. They will stop at the Third-Avenue Hotel.

They will be absent three weeks. Miss Katie Puller is home again, after spending five weeks at Ebensburg, Pa., attending King's School of Oratory. Miss Puller will leave in a few days to visit relatives in King William county.

Mr. Charles G. Kizer, member of the House of Delegates the last session, but now Chief of Police of Norfolk, and Mr. George Lindsay, of Portsmouth, clerk of one of the House committees, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. R. S. Denny, connected with the Southern Railway Company in Washington, D. C., is in the city with his wife, having been called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. M. M. Salmon, who was hundar vestoral. who was buried yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Branch and son, Marion, of No. 2014 west Cary street, have gone to Charlotte county to spend some time with relatives. They were accom-panied by Miss Lou Branch, of No. 405 Messrs. Louis F. Bargamin and Ran-

dolph Bolling, of this city, are now at Myrtle, Johnston county, Ky., on the Big Sandy Tiver, with the Chesapeake and Ohio engineering corps, at work upon the survey for a new road. Messrs, K. Hoshimoto and Z. Sasaki, representatives of the Japanese Government, on a tour of observation in this country, who were here several days recently, have returned from the South, and are registered at the Jefferson.

Mrs. V. N. Robertson and Miss Eva Quarles, who have been visiting Mr. Har-ry J. Robertson's family, of Washington, for the last two months, have returned to their home, on Highland Park, accom-sonied by Mr. Robertson and family, who panied by Mr. Robertson and family, who will spend some time with them.

Miss Lillie Martin, of No. 601 north Twenty-third street, left yesterday for Twenty-third street, left yesterday for Tiffin, O., as a representative of the Na-tional Council. Daughters of Liberty, which meets at that place. She was ac-companied by Mrs. Cobean, of west Cary

Mr. and Mrs. John Syme Fleming, of \$13 west Main, left Wednesday evening for Fredericksburg. Washington, and New York, to be absent several weeks, and on their return will spend several days with relatives at Mrs. Fleming's old home, Mount Bernard, Goochland county. county.

Superintendent D. A. Putney, of the Sun Life-Assurance Company of Canada, in this city, left yesterday to attend the annual meeting, to be held at Port Sanfied, Ont., on the 22d to 25th inclusive. He will also visit the important places of Canada, including Niagara Falls, Toronto, and other points.

Among the guests at Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Conway Maron's place, Chestnut Hill, Orange county, Va., are Mrs. F. G. Paulson; Messrs. James Conway Maron and Latimer Small Maron, of Pittsburg; Mr. James Madison Maron, Sr., Richmond; Mrs. Harris and maid, of Philadelphia, and Mr. George Small, of York, Pa.

Virginians at the Hotels.

At Murphy's-W. A. Gathright, Dab-ney's; Maury Hundley, Hampton. At New Ford's-R. C. Patterson, New-port News; George E. Alsop, Newport News; J. N. May, Danville; A. B. Dun-away, Port Norfolk. away, Port Norfolk.

Richmonders in New York.

SENATOR MARTIN IS BACK.

Returns from Accomac-The Result in Halifax-The Richmond Caucus, Senator Martin returned last night from ne Eastern Shore, whither he went last week to attend the Agricultural Fair at

Cape Charles.

The Senator saw a number of friends while gone, though the weather was so bad that the fair could receive but little of his attention.

A friend of Senator Martin's stated last a friend of the Senator had a much larger following on the Eastern Shore than was generally supposed, especially in North-

ampton county.

Northampton will nominate a legislative candidate next Saturday by primary, Dr. Charles Smith is a candidate for re-elec-tion, with Messrs. Nottingham and Fitzhugh as his opponents. The numinees will be instructed as to whom they are to vote for for the Senate.

The result in Halifax yesterday was

The result in Indiana. A fight had been made on both sides, fight had been a long one, also, realized that the result affects realized that the result affects. men-the two members of the House of Delegates and the Senator from Hallfaxnator Barksdale having refused to com-

Senator Barksdale having refused to commit himself until the people had expressed a choice for the Senate.

The caucus of Richmond hominees for the House of Delegates for the purpose of selecting four pages to recommend to the speaker will probably be held this week. The caucus has been delayed, owing to the illness of Colonel George Wayne Anderson. That centleman is now Wayne Anderson. That gentleman is now about recovered. Mr. S. S. P. Patteson, the only one of the nominees who refused to declare for Senator Martin, will not consent to enter the caucus.

It Was Postponed by Board of Re-ference Until Wednesday.

The case of Miss Eleanor M. Goodwin will not be gone into until next Wedneswill not be gone into until next Wednesday. The Board of Reference to investigate the claim by her that her removal from Fairfax High School to the Highland Springs school was the result of nepotism on the part of a number of the School Board, convened yesterday.

Miss Goodwin was present, accompanied by her father, another young lady, and Rev. Joel T. Tucker. Mr. J. Garland Pollard was present as her counsel.

County-Superintendent Fussell, who is ex-officio chairman of the Board of Reference, called the meeting to order and

ex-officio chairman of the Board of Re-ference, called the meeting to order and said he hoped everything would be done decently and in order. He said he would not preside if the law on the subject was not mandatory, as he would prefer to ask some other superintendent to hear He announced that the other member

He announced that the other members of the board were Messrs. E. Caskle Smith, of Tuckahoe District, and R. N. Pilcher, of Varina District.

Dr. Hugh D. Smith, trustee from Fairfield District, asked for a continuance of the case, as he didn't know the other side would have counsel until an hour before. He was not willing to so into the before. He was not willing to go into the ase at such a disadvantage.
Mr. Pollard said he thought the re

quest for continuance was a reasonable one, and he had no desire to take unfair Mr. Smith said one day would be suffi-cient, but after consultation it was agreed that the postponement should be until next Wednesday at 11 A. M.

A ROMANTIC WEDDING. The Lady Met Her Betrothed Hus-

band at a Soda Fountain. Mr. W. L. Wight, general manager of the Southern Manufacturing Company, thine Pellegrini were married Friday af-

Dr. W. G. Starr at his residence, No. 80 east Clay street. The wedding possessed much of the romantic element. Mr. Ferrandini is a well-known business-man of Richmond and his bride is a charming young lady of Montgomery, Ala., who has has visiting in Richmond. On the afternoon of her marriage the bride came to Rights, pharmage at Cours avenue and Briggs's pharmacy, at Grove avenue and Harrison street. Taking a seat she asked for a glass of cream soda. Just as she finished a carriage drove to the door. Mr Ferrandini was the occupant. Miss Pel-legrini settled her bill, took a seat in the vehicle, which was driven at once to Dr. Starr's residence, and in a few minute she had become Mrs. Ferrandini.

The young couple left that night for Baltimore, and will go thence on an extended bridal tour.

A BOY SHOOTS HIMSELF. A Pistol Accidentally Discharged Wound Not Serious.

James Druke, a small boy, had a painful accident yesterday morning at the Hasker-Marcuse factory, on Church Hill. He accidentally shot himself through the leg with a pistol.

by Dr. Frank Cunningham, who, after examining the wound, decided to let it heal without extracting the bullet. The sufferer was taken home. His wound is not necessarily dangerous.

The boy was taken to the City Hospital

Robert Stanard, a negro man employed at Allen & Ginter's, was taken violently ill yesterday morning. He was treated by Dr. Cunningham and left.

Mr. John B. Dowden Dead.

The many friends of Mr. John B. Dow-den will deeply regret to learn of his death at 9:30 o'clock Friday night at the almshouse, where he had been keeper of the hall and night watchman for the past sight or nine years. He had been ill three weeks and succumbed to Bright's

The dead man in the sixty-three years of his life had many adventures in all parts of the world. He was a sailor, and itved on the ocean many years.

Mr. Dowden was valued very highly by the authorities of the institution at which he died. He was faithful and efficient, and his place will hard to fill with as acceptable a man.

The funeral will take place from the home of a relative. Mrs. Dowden, in Fulton, at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The "Big Eight" Feast. The "Big Eight" were given an ice The "Big Eight" were given an icc-cream festival one evening last week, which all enjoyed very much. Among the guests present were Misses Annie Walton, Lelia Atkisson, Pocahontas Wal-ton, Ruth Atkisson, Annie Cooper, Min-nie Carrington, Rose Carrington, Marie Hughes of Petersburg, Iva McLane, Mrs. George Palmore, and Mrs. R. J. McLane; Messers, Robert Hall, James Sciater, Wal-

Messrs. Robert Hall, Jumes Sciater, Walter Griffin, Willie Hamlett, Frank Toler, Henry Glimer, Jesse Swann, Lewis McLane, and R. J. McLane.
Various games were played until late in the evening, when the doors of the spacious dining-room were thrown open and the party enjoyed the hospitality of their hostess to a full extent. At 11 o'clock they returned home, having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. J. B. Lacy has received a letter from his son, Lercy, who is serving on the gunboat Helena, in the Philippines. He had just returned to his ship, he writes after a successful but trying campaign on shore with his Colt's gun, assisting the infantry in capturing some of the enemy's strongholds. The country over which they marched was so bad that they only covered ten miles in as many days. Mr. Lercy Lacy received a painful wound in his hand, but he stuck to his gun until his detachment returned to his ship. It is something of a coincidence that Mr. Lacy was wounded in the same hand while in Cuba during the attack on the forts of Manzanillo.

Mr. Lacy says the Filipinos are brave and will stand fire, but when you get them on a run they are as fleet as deer, and you must be a wing-shot if you want to stop them.

Funeral of Mrs. Childress. Mrs. D. A. Putney and sister, Miss Annie Scott, of Church Hill, are on an extended visit to relatives in Fluvanna county.

Mrs. George W. Eaves, Miss Lelia and tor, at the residence of her husband, Mr. R. R. Childress, this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited

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\$10-Washington to Niagara Falls and Return-\$10. Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Special trains, with parlor-cars and day ocaches, will leave Washington at 8 A. f., July 27th, August 10th and 24th, deptember 7th and 21st, and October 5th September 7th and 21st, and October 5th and 19th, Tickets, limited to ten days, and allowing stop-over at Buffalo, Rochester, Watkins, and Canandaigua, returning within limit, 110. Special rates for side trips from Niagara Falls to Toronto and Rochester to Thousand Islands.

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Holiness Camp-Meeting, Danville,

Vn. August 20th-September 1, 1899. On account of the above Southern railway will sell special round-trip tickets to Danville. Va., from Richmond, Lynchburg, and intermediate stations on basis of tariff one. The rate from Richmond to Danville and return will be \$5.15. Tickets on sale August 25th to 27th, inwith return limit September 1,

The Gold-Wire King at the Cohen Company's Store.

This week, made to order, Bangis Rings, specially 19 and 25c.; 4-Strane Rings for 50c.; others, 30c., etc. Cut

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Bell Telephonic Communication, graph Company announces that tele-phonic communication can be had over its lines with Lynchburg, Va.; Danville, Va.; Roanoke, Va.; Wakefield, Va. Va.; Roanoke, Va.; Wakefield, Va.; Appomattox, Va.; Farmville, Va.; Crewe, Va.; Salem, Va.; Bedford City, Va.; Va.; Salem. Va.; Bedford City, Va Reidsville, N. C.; Charlotte, N. C.; Colum

For further particulars enquire at the public pay stations, and at manager's office, 1214 east Main street.
SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Mrs. Gill will run one of her popular excursions to Old Point, via Chesapeake and Ohio, Monday, August 21st. This will give all parties who were defayed on acdays. count of the fever an opportunity to make another visit to the popular resort. Train leaves Broad-Street Station at 8:30 sharp, The Celebrated Fitz Lee Cook Stoves

Will bake quicker, Will bake better, Will cost you less money.

in the year you can enjoy the finest But-

ter produced at the cleanest and nearest butter and provision store in the city, Nos. 307 and 309 north Sixth street, near Broad. New 'phone, 378; old 'phone, 854. To see is to be convinced. W. R. KOCH, Proprietor. University College of Medicine, One hundred per cent. before six State Examining Boards.

So Excellently Printed That It Could Be Mailed. The J. L. Hill Printing Company has just gotten out for the Virginia Business

College, of this city, a book which is distinctly unique. It is tastefully and attractively bound. and consists of a large number of testimonials to the worth of the college from

those who have had an opportunity of judging. These letters have been reproduced by the printing company in facsimile, and the excellence of the work has led to an unexpected complication. When the books were offered at the postoffice to be mailed, Superintendent Fitzgerald declined to receive them, except at letter rates, declaring that he believed they were written and not printed.—Richmond Times, August 13th. mond Times, August 13th. We have received a copy of the above We have received a copy of the above book, and we unhesitatingly say that it is the most artistic, as well as the most unique, piece of printing ever received at this office. The testimonials from the graduates are reproduced perfectly. Some of them are typewritten, while others are written with pen and ink, and the chirography of the writer, even to the color of the ink, quality of the paper, and style of the letterhead used are shown just as the "copy" was handed to the printer.—Salem Times-Register.

We have just received a book printed by the J. L. Hill Printing Company, of Richmond, for the Virginia Business Col-lege, of that city. The book contains a large number of testimonials, a fac-simile of the original letters, to the worth of the college, and is by far the most unique piece of work we have ever seen—South-side Sentinel. side Sentinel.

Edwin A. Hardin Company, Southern Dealers The Williams Typewriter, Atlanta, Ga., August 15, 1839 Professor B. A. Davis, Jr., Richmond,

Dear Sir,-Your valued favor of August 10th, together with copy of "The Proof," has been received. This is certainly one of the handsomest advertisements we have ever seen issued from a copy, and speaks well for your business-like methods, progress, and prosperity. Your institution is certainly a credit to your city and State, and we can attest as to the work done by you by experience with some of the graduates of your college. whom we have met at your home and

Wishing you success, and feeling sure hat you deserve it, we are yours, cot-

dially. EDWIN-A. HARDIN CO. (Inc.),

Edwin A. Hardin, President. A copy of this book, which contains letters from leading firms throughout the United States, showing how the graduates of the college stand, may be had by addressing B. A. Davis, Jr., President, Virginia Business College, Richmond, Va.

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and Pennsylvania Railroads.

Round-trip rate from Richmond only Special train, with parlor-cars attached, leave Washington via Pennsylvania rail-road at 8 A. M., August 24th, September 7th, September 21st, October 5th, and

October 19th.
Tickets from Richmond good for twelve days; for return passage on all regular trains, except limited express trains. Stopovers allowed on return trip at Buf-For further information, apply to Richmond Transfer Company, 903 east Main street; to Ticket Agent, Byrd-Street Station, or to W. P. Taylor, Traffic Manfalo, Rochester, and Watkins Glen.

General-Manager Adelbert G. Botts, of the Washington Savings and Loan As-sociation, of Richmond, Va., states that quite a number of parties who read the announcement in the Dispatch have ex-pressed a desire to take stock. The plan under which the association conducts ousiness is a conservative one.

One hundred per cent. before six State Examining Boards. Summer Excursion Tickets to North, ern an Eastern Resorts via R., F. & P. and Pennsylvania Railroad.

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Tickets to all the principal northern and eastern resorts at reduced rates; on ale until September 20th, good to return intil October 31st. Good schedules by a variety of routes. Full information can be obtained at Richmond Transfer Company's, 908 east Main street; Ticket Office, Byrd-Street

tation, or from W. P. Taylor, Traffic Mrs. Gill's Excursion to Atlantic

City, Only \$7, Saturday, August 26th, via Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomae and Pennsylvania rail-road, without change of cars, promises to be very popular. All parties who contemplate going will advise by postal.

Mrs. J. R. Gill.

Superintendent Male Orphan Asylum. The Gold-Wire King at the Cohen Company's Store.

This week, made to order, Bangle Rings, specially 19 and 25c.; 4-Strand Rings for 50c.; others, 30c., etc. Cut

DEATHS.

ADAMS.-Died, suddenly, at his residence, No. 602 cast Leigh street, Friday, August 18th, at 1:30 P. M., Mr. WILLIAM Funeral from the above residence SUN-

DAY AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. No flowers. Baltimore and Washington papers please CHAMBERLAYNE .- Died, at the residence of his parents, August 19, 1899, at 11:30 P. M., HARVIE, son of F. W. and

Virginia Chamberlayne; aged 31 years.
The time of the funeral will be an ounced in the churches to-day. DOWDEN.-Died, August 18, 1899, at 9:30 M., Mr. JOHN BELCHER DOWDEN aged 59 years, a native of Cork, Ireland.
Funeral from the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. William Dowden, 1104
Graham street, THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock Friends invited to at-

RUGGLES .- Died, suddenly, at her

home, in Nelson county, August 17, 1859, Mrs. SALLIE R. RUGGLES, formerly Mrss Sallie R. Coleman, of this city. SAUNDERS.-Died, August 19, 1899, 9:15 P. M., at her father's home, ELE-NORA, infant daughter of Clyde W. and Mary A. Saunders; aged 4 months and 21

tend. Interment at Oakwood.

Ere sin could blight or sorrow fade Death came with friendly care The opening bud to Heaven conveyed, And bade it blossom there.

Funeral will take place at her home, "Ivanhoe," on the Cary-Street road, a few squares west of the Boulevard, MON. DAY, August 21st, at 11 A. M. Friends the family and those of her grandmother, Mrs. Pierce, are invited to attend. WAGENER-BOIE.-Died, at the residence of her son, Richard Wagener, No. 407 north Twenty-third street, August 18th, at 9 P. M., Mrs. HERTHA WAGE-NER-BOIE; aged 72 years.

Evacral from the above residence THIS

Funeral from the above residence THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON at 4:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to at-SOLDIERS' HOME CHAPEL.—SERVI-ces Sunday at 11 A. M.; again at 4 P. M.; preaching by Rev. D. K. Walthall, of Chestnut Hill. And also at 8 o'clock in the evening; preaching by Rev. W. N. T. Squires, of the Union Theological Semi-nary. Music conducted as heretofore.

THALHIMER BROS'. GREAT

REDUCTION SALE!

Every dollar's worth of SUMMER GOODS MUST BE SOLD at a COMPOUND REDUCTIONreduction upon reduction. A clean sweep from the fourth floor to the basement, with prices 50c. on the dollar, to make room for our immense stock of fall goods.

Every yard of Fine Organdies, Dimities, and Lawns, that were 16%c. and 12½c., must go at 5c. yard.

\$2 and \$2.48 Lawn Wrappers, nicely trimmed in laces and embroideries, for \$1 choice. White Silk Parasols, must go at 50c. SPECIAL—A lot of \$12.50 and \$15 Tailor-Made

Suits, good styles for the fall, must be closed out at 50c. Black Etamine Crepons for 16%c. yard. Ladies' \$1 Sailor Hats, White, Navy, and Black,

Pretty Figured Dimities must go at 3c. yard. Great slaughter of Embroidery Remnants this

All \$1.50 and \$1.98 Colored Waists this week

for 39c. choice. \$1.50 White Crochet Quilts, this week for \$1. Boys' 50c. Percale Waists for 25c.

50c. and \$1 Children's Straw Hats for 25c. Boys' Laundered Waists, "Mother's Friend" brand, were 75c. and \$1, now 50c. choice. \$7.48 Cheviot Skirts, in plain Gray and Tan and

Gray Plaids, for \$3.48 each. One lot of White Duck Skirts to close out at

\$2.98 White P. K. Skirts, trimmed, for \$1.25

12 rolls Good Quality Toilet Paper for 25c. 8-quart Preserving Kettles for 15c. Large Best Tin Wash Boilers for 39c.
Fine China Dinner Sets, handsomely decorated, 100

pieces, were \$10, must be closed out at \$6.98 set.

Large Covered Willow Market Baskets, the 50c. kind, for 29c. Pretty Medallions, new subjects, for 19c. Large Size Lunch Baskets for 10c.

Good Size Infants' Baskets for 33c.

THE NEW ORDER IN JAPAN.

Foreign Residents Now Subject to Laws of the Empire. WASHINGTON, August 19 .- Over one housand citizens of the United States, two thousand Englishmen, and about one thousand German and French citizens will be directly affected by the new order of things in Japan by which extra-territoriality disappears and foreign residents visited 3,500 families, and held 950 meetthousand German and French citizens are made subject to the laws and business regulations of that empire. Fully 5,900 of the 10,000 foreigners now residing in Japan will be thus affected by this feature of the fifteen new treaties which ave abandoned consular courts and ex-ra-territoriality, and made the citizens of the fifteen countries in question subject to the laws of Japan when residing in that country. The total number of for-cigners residing in Japan was, on January 1, 1898, 10,531, as against 9,238 in 1897, and 8,246 in 1896. Of this number in 1898, 5,295, or nearly one half, were Chinese; 2,118 English, 1,076 American, 523 Germans, 491 French, 297 Russians, 155 Koreans, 109 Fortuguese, 194 Dutch, and the remainder divided aroung other countries in num.

divided among other countries in num-bers less than 100 each. Of the 10.531 foreigners residing in Japan in 1888, 9,538 were classed as "merchants and other professions," while of the 1,676 from the United States 879 were classed as merchants and other professions. Of the 2,118 British subjects, 1,761 were thus

classed, and of the 523 Germans, 453 were so classified. The number of foreigners residing in The number of foreigners residing in Japan is only about one-sixth as great as the number of Japanese residing in foreign countries. The Japanese census of December 31, 1874—the Japanese take a census each year—showed 58,785 Japanese residing in other countries. Of this number 7,640 were in the United States and 27,354 in Hawali, so that 69 per cent. of the Japanese now residing abroad are subject to the jurisdiction of the United States. Of the remaining 23,791 Japanese residing abroad, 13,615 were in Corea, 5,509 in England and English colonies, 2,861 in Russia and Russian colonies, and 1,655 in China. Of the 7,640 residing in the United States, 2,178 were students and 729 merchants.

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The disposition of the Japanese is apparently to look almost exclusively to the United States in educational matters, as the total number of Japanese students residing abroad, as shown by the census figures, was 2.455, and of this number 2.175 were in the United States, 129 in Germany, 47 in Russia and Russian colonies, 48 in Engish and and Engilsh colonies, 21 in China, 14 in Korea, and 19 in France.

Both the import and export business of Japan are conducted largely by foreigners residing in that country. More than 66 per cent, of the exportations from Japan and more than 67 per cent, of its importations are conducted by foreigners. Of the total exports from Japan in 1898 over 107,000,000 yen were sent abroad by foreign merchants doing business in that country and 55,000,000 by Japanese merchants, while of the total imports of the year 181,000,000 yen in value were imported by foreigners and 90,000,000 yen in value by Japanese merchants.

FOUND DEAD AT TAMPA. Nothing by Which to Identify Him-

Registered as from Macon.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., August 19 .- A man who registered as "T. Adams, Ma-con, Ga.," Wednesday night, at the Plant Hotel, Tampa, was found dead in his room late Thursday afternoon. He had no baggage nor papers by which his iden-tity could be ascertained. Attempts to awaken him during the day had failed, awaken him during the day had failed, and at night the room was entered through a gallery window, when it was discovered that the apparently sleeping nan was dead. He had \$3.68 and a half-emptied morphine-bottle in his pocket, and nothing else. He was about 30 years of age. There were no evidences of foul-

APPEAL FROM BISHOP BLENK. Request for Ald for the Storm-

Stricken Porto Rieans. NEW ORLEANS, August 19.-Bishop J. H. Blenk, of the Catholic Churc's in Porto Rico, has issued an appeal 'o all the bishops of the United States, calling on them to aid the people of the Church on the storm-stricken island. He says that the Catholics there look to

the Catholics in America to aid them. He arks the bishops to take whatever steps that may be opportune to aid the suffer-

Mormon Work in the South. CHATTANOOGA, TENN., August 19.-

Conference seventy elders are at work, and that during the week they walked 100 miles and visited 160 families. They

Lightship Reported Adrift. WILMINGTON, N. C., August 19 .- It was rumored here yesterday and to-de, that the light-ship stationed on Frying-Pan Shoals had been driven from its anchorage by the West Indian hurricane, and was moving down the coast toward Charleston. Diligent inquiry by custom-house officials here yesterday and to-day failed either to confirm or to deny the report. The ship is one of the most recent pattern, being well equipped with rigging designated to withstand any tempest, and in either event no fears are

Officers from North Carolina WASHINGTON, D. C., August 19 .- (Spe cial.)-Among the appointment of officers for the new volunteer regiments made this afternoon are those of Joseph I and T. B. Seigle, of North Carolina, to be first lleutenant.

entertained for the safety of the vessel

Tannery Destroyed by Fire. CLEARFIELD, PA. August 19.—Alley Brothers & Co.'s tannery, at Curwensville, six miles from here, one of the largest independent tanneries in the State, was completely destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at \$400,000, which is partly covered by insurance. Three hundred men are thrown out of employment.

St. L., I. & E. R. R. Sold. SPRINGFIELD, II.L., August 19.—Stuart Brown, of this city, master in chancery of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois, today sold at auction the St. Louis, Indianapoils and Eastern railroad to the Illinois Central railroad, which was the only bidder.

At a largely-attended meeting of Iron-Moulders' Union, No. 128, held last night, a handsome gold badge was presented to Mr. William A. Reese for valuable ser-vices to the order, Mr. R. T. Faircloth made the presentation speech. To Washington to Wed. A special to the Dispatch late last night

Presented With a Gold Badge.

states that a marriage license had been issued to Mr. James D. Brooks and Miss Irritating stings, bites, scratches, wounds, and cuts soothed and healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve—a sure and safe application for tortured flesh. Beware of counterfeits. Hodeker Brothere, T. A. Miller.

EXCURSIONS. EXCURSION

NEW SOUTH COUNCIL, NO, 8,

JR. O. U. A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1898.

AMUSEMENTS: Dancing, bathing, sailing, flahing, and crabbing. A full string and in attendance. Dinner at Terminal store, 50c.

Train will leave Manchester at 8 A. M.;
Richmond, 8:15 A. M.; Twenty-eighth
street, 8:20 A. M. Returning, will leave
West Point at 6:40 P. M.
WE GO RAIN OR SHINE,